October 22, 2019

The Page County Board of Supervisors met in session on this 22nd day of October 2019, with Chuck Morris, Jon Herzberg, and Alan Armstrong present. On a motion by Morris, seconded by Herzberg, the board moved to approve the agenda. Present from the public was John VanNonstrand.

John Schwab came in and met with the board. He stated Doug Wright has notified Schwab that he does not have the resources or knowledge to complete the storm shelter. DR Construction was the original contractor and defaulted before starting work on the project. Wright was an employee who then took over the project. The conservation board will meet tomorrow to discuss how to proceed.

King gave the board a roads update. The blades are out in all districts, and there is one mower running. Crews are hauling rock and sand. The spray patcher is done for the season. The weather is too cold now, and they are out of oil. Not all seal coats were fixed. Truck #35 should come back from Des Moines this week. First aid kits are being updated. Davison will need overtime to complete the Blanchard project and the College Springs projects. King states he will discuss with each city if they wish to use county services; the cities will be responsible for paying the overtime for this work. King has not heard back from NRCS regarding the EWP projects. King will need an amendment for the five-year county plan. Bids were received for the bridge replacement on A Avenue (005-73-CO73-134). Gosbergsen-Smith Construction Co. came in with the low bid of \$1,729,227.

Armstrong stated the DNR contacted him regarding the asbestos testing. He stated there are different methods to best handle the asbestos, and the contractor has to be OSHA certified. Page County will work with the asbestos contractor and the DNR to ensure safety of the project.

Sheriff Palmer was unable to join the meeting. The board will discuss his concerns regarding the drug and alcohol testing.

Dow joined the meeting. On a motion by Morris, seconded by Herzberg the board moved to assign the county held tax sale certificate 2013-13014 (parcel 1323128110000) to Carolyn and Robert Matzinger.

On a motion by Herzberg, seconded by Morris, the board moved to approve the minutes of October 22, 2019.

With no further business, the Board adjourned at 10:20 AM and will meet again Tuesday, October 22, 2019.

Alan Armstrong, Chairman Melissa Wellhausen
Page County Board of Supervisors Page County Auditor